



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20463

MEMORANDUM

TO: Office of the Commission Secretary

FROM: Office of General Counsel

DATE: June 8, 1998

SUBJECT: MUR 4434-Memo to the Commission

The attached is submitted as an Agenda document for the Commission Meeting of June 9, 1998

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TO: The Commissioners

FROM: Lois G. Lerner *LGZ by AAS*
Associate General Counsel

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SUBJECT: MUR 4434 -- Chart regarding Outback-connected contributions to Mark Sharpe for Congress

Attached is a chart which shows approximately \$53,000 in contributions to Mark Sharpe for Congress campaign which are from Outback-connected individuals.¹ This Office believes that the attached chart is important to fully understand the potential scope of the possible corporate facilitation at issue in this matter, especially given Joseph Kadow's statement in one solicitation letter (Attachment 1, pages 12-13 of the General Counsel's Report in this matter dated May 22, 1998) that he had "been collecting checks and giving them to Mark [Sharpe] to ensure that he understands the extent of support he is receiving from the restaurant industry."

A copy of this chart was provided informally to each Commissioner's office earlier today.

Attachment

Chart of Outback-connected contributors

¹ "Outback-connected individuals" means Outback executives, joint venture partners, franchisees, and their relatives.

NAME	EMPLOYER AND OUTBACK AFFILIATION	DATE	AMOUNT	REPORT
Chris Sullivan	Outback	08/31/94	\$ 1,000	94 October Quart.
Tim Gannon	Outback	08/31/94	1,000	same
Robert Merritt	Outback	09/09/94	1,000	same
Paul E. Avery	Outback	09/27/94	1,000	same
Tim Gannon	Outback	09/27/94	1,000	same
Nancy Schneid	Outback	09/27/94	1,000	same
Dennis Rouse	Outback	09/27/94	1,000	same
Joseph Kadow	Outback	09/27/94	500	same
Joseph B. Cofer	Outback	09/27/94	500	same
Edmond R. Talman	Outback	09/27/94	500	same
Robert Merritt	Outback	09/27/94	500	same
Dave Sanders	Outback	09/27/94	500	same
Kaye Pollard	Outback	09/27/94	1,000	same
Thomas Shannon	T-Bird Rest. Group/franchisee	09/27/94	1,000	same
Daniel Doyle	Danka Industries/Kadow letter recip	09/28/94	500	same
Mel Danker	retired/brother of Robert Basham	10/04/94	500	12-Day Pre-General
Richard Danker	Danker Restaurant/JVP	10/17/94	1,000	same
James Pollard	Outback	10/17/94	1,000	same
Sheila Hood	homemaker/wife of JVP	10/17/94	1,000	same
Dennis Hood	Outback Steakhouse/JVP	10/17/94	1,000	same
Janis Attinger	homemaker/wife of JVP	10/18/94	1,000	same
Claire Everts	Outback	10/18/94	1,000	same
Donald Everts	Outback	10/18/94	1,000	same
Cynthia D. Sink	Sink Corporation/JVP	10/18/94	1,000	same
Ridge M. Sink	Sink Corporation/JVP	10/18/94	1,000	same
Trudy Cooper	homemaker/wife of JVP	10/18/94	1,000	same
Kenneth S. West	Outback	10/18/94	500	same
Kathy Shannon	homemaker/wife of JVP	10/18/94	500	same
Virginia L. Levitt	Outback	10/18/94	300	same
Bruce Attinger	R Corporation/JVP	10/19/94	1,000	same
Steve Grantham	J+R Rest. Corp./JVP	10/19/94	1,000	same
Mel Danker	retired/brother of Robert Basham	10/19/94	500	same
Jackie Danker	Investor/wife of Mel Danker	10/19/94	1,000	same
BJ Stone	Stone, Inc./franchisee	10/25/94	1,000	30 Day Post Gen
John W. Cooper	Outback	10/25/94	1,000	same
Hugh Connerty	Connerty and Assoc./franchisee	10/25/94	1,000	same
Mark C. Aaron	Aaron Rest. Group/franchisee	10/25/94	1,000	same
Karen Tancredi	homemaker/wife of JVP	10/25/94	1,000	same
Tony Grappo	Nevada Summit Corp/franchisee	10/25/94	1,000	same
Mark V. Wibel	Wibel & Assoc./VP for JVP	10/25/94	1,000	same
Barbara Wibel	homemaker/wife of Mark Wibel	10/25/94	1,000	same
Carl Sahlsten	Connerty and Assoc./franchisee	10/25/94	1,000	same
Joseph Kadow	Outback	10/29/94	500	same
Teresa S. Weaver	Outback	10/29/94	250	same
Thomas Wulf	Outback	10/29/94	250	same
Michael W. Coble	Outback	10/29/94	1,000	same

Roy Hockman	Aussie Restaurant/franchisee	10/31/94	1,000	same
Dearing Hockman	homemaker/wife of Roy Hockman	10/31/94	1,000	same
Beaven Smith	Outback	11/02/94	1,000	same
Larry Siegel	J+R Rest. Group/franchisee	11/02/94	1,000	same
Pamela Siegel	homemaker/wife of Larry Siegel	11/02/94	1,000	same
Erica Barones	homemaker/girlfriend of BJ Stone	11/05/94	1,000	same
Beth Novello	homemaker/wife of JVP	11/05/94	1,000	same
Sheila Flanagan	Wife of JVP	11/05/94	500	same
Jessica McGee	Moody Development/co. of JVP	11/05/94	1,000	same
Cynthia Angelopoulos	homemaker/wife of JVP	11/05/94	1,000	same
Lori Kohnke	Moody Dev./co. of JVP	11/05/94	1,000	same
Braxton Moody	Moody Dev./JVP	11/05/94	1,000	same
Kimberlee Brown	homemaker/wife of JVP	11/05/94	1,000	same
Anthony Canale	Outback	11/06/94	1,000	same
Debra Eybers	Tabers, Inc./franchisee	11/06/94	<u>1,000</u>	same
		TOTAL	\$52,800	